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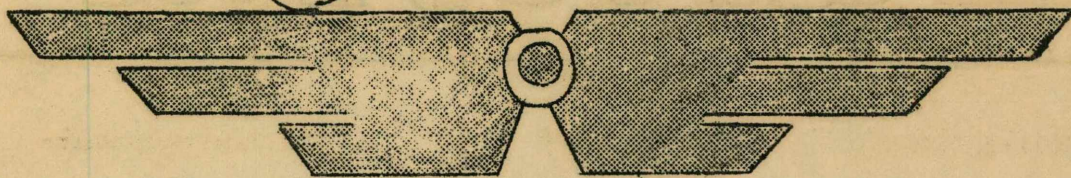
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Editorial

The Triple C's

In the year 1933 there were many young, able bodied men out of employment. They stormed the bread lines and crowded the many street corners. Many of these men were willing to work in order to get an honest living, but were not given the opportunity. Thus, there arose a great problem for the Government. What should be done with these men?

In the spring of '33 the Triple C's or the Civilian Conservation Corps, was formed. The purpose of the Organization was to take these young men out of the Bread lines and off the street corners, and to give them an opportunity to earn a living. They were to receive \$4.00 per month for themselves and \$25.00 was to go to their dependent.

To become a member of this organization a young man had to be between the ages of 18 and 28. It was also required that he must be on relief and must be physically fit.

In the beginning many were hesitant in joining. They were afraid that they would have to drill and train as in the army. When it was made clear to them that it was not an army function, they began to apply for admittance.

The term of service at first, was 18 months. After an enrollee had served this period of time he was required to be discharged and to remain out of service for a few months before re-enrolling.

This organization had done so much for young men that by the year '35 more camps were built to accommodate them.

In '35 the age limit was changed from 18 to 17 years of age, and there was no limit to the term that one might serve.

As time went on work became more plentiful, and the men began to secure jobs outside of camps. It is this factor that has brought on the situation as it now stands.

The Government, knowing that business is on the incline has put on certain restrictions. Enrollees who have been in camp for 18 months or more must be discharged. The age limit has also been changed from 17 to 27, to 17 to 23 inclusive.

Thus, at the close of this coming September many of the young men who have been in the Triple C's for a year and a half or more will have to seek outside employment. They have learned to take the bitter with the sweet, and are ready to face either Fate or Fortune.

Enrollee
L.H. Novells

PATER

Standing By with Dan Druff, who sees all, hears all, and tells everything about the Cavaliers, Ciceros, and Caesars of our peaceful little
~~///~~ domicile ~~///~~

The following was received recently from Charlie MacCallum. All of the older men will remember him, in as much as he left only a short time ago. He is in Westbrook and apparently O.K., for his letter states:- "I am in perfect health and enjoying myself,-----". The Highlander is pleased to welcome a contributor from the ranks which have passed on. We wish there were more of them. Remember that, you September-thirty-first-ers. Send in some information about yourselves after you leave. Your experiences should be valuable to the men now in camp. * * * Charlie's Poem Follows.

Refrain:- There is a long, long trail, etc.

Its a long, long time in camp, boys,
More than two years it seems,
That I've been climbing trees and painting bugs
And dreaming CC dreams.
I'll leave many pals behind me,
So many and yet so few;
As I go on through life's stormy sea,
Oh, camp I'll think of you.

With the "Blister Rust" days past then,
No more "extra Duty" to do,
I'll chain my way to future's dreams
And the things I want to do.
But as I sit and think at night, boys
Camp scenes will cross my mind,
And I'll think of the Bridgton CC camp
And the friends I left behind.

Now the time has come to part friends,
So, I write Good-bye, - Adieu.
May heaven bless you all boys;
May the ones you love be true.
May we not forget the fun, pals,
We've had working side by side;
And not forget our company,
But think of it with pride.

BARRACKS

Bolduc was very anxious to find out at what time the midnight show started last Sunday night.

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It seems that Blethen has finally left us. Hope that he finds it as interesting and eventfull as it was here. Wonder if he will need a trunk where he is now.

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It was noticed that Mrs Friel and our ex-fireman were quite heavily laden last Tuesday night.

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Washington is now the Wolf's Assistant. Some job to lug that whistle around isn't it?

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Dick stayed in quite a bit last week. Why, did she go back home?

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Flash! What certain banjo player is almost constantly in the dispensary? Could we have a romance?

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Labor Day we will have a coming out party for all the old guys. Remember it will be strictly a stag.

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Curly Morin's hair is growing. He'll soon have a wave. We like it this way.

A cute little ditty is always popping up lately: "We hate to see you go. We hate to see you go ----". Bet you will hear a lot more of it too!

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For you eager ears, "Peaches" just informed the editors that she is going to stop going to so many shows. It get's her eyes blood-shot. And she is very sensitive.

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Stewart is becoming the A. No. 1. The rookies think he is Simon Lagree himself. Of course we veterans know that Stewart is just playing with them.

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Chase was saying that he would rather be Asst. barracks leader in No. 1 than barracks leader in number 4. Well Chase you should with the A. No. 1 barracks leader to look out for you.

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"Meat" Townsend wanted to put an add in for a store down town. What was the add, Townsend?

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Blethen was discharged last week. He plans to go to school so he can play base ball next year.

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Shady hasn't much time to go to town, there seems to be other things to detain him here in camp.

BARRACKS 3

"Whelp" Chase has obtained his high hopes of the CCC. He has finally become a rated man nad is bossing the new men of No. I barracks.

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There seems to be a little fouding in the barracks. For further information interview "Cowboy" Gaisson and "Sober face" Smith.

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Ramie "Dipper Lip" Hodsdon has returned from his leave. He is still making his frequent trips to Naples.

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Phil Rush and Paul Osgood have at last become rated men.

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Any night that you wish to find DeGrouchy, look in the barracks and you'll find him polishing his shoes. He will wear them out polishing them.

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Some of the boys have learned that it is best to get up in the morning. Red McCarty and H. F. Brown have found that out.

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Freddie Warner must have been rather sleepy the other night. He tried to batter the door from its hinges. Better be careful next time "Pop".

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"Pappy" Howard and "Pin Head" Spring are on their leave.

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We would like to know if Hebert and DEGruchy go to bed at all. No matter how early you wake up they always have their bunks made.

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"B. S." Norris enjoyed a nice pleasant week in the kitchen recently. He may take another A. W. O. L. soon. How about it Norris?

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We have three rookies in our midst. We hope that they are going to like our home.

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Butch must be in the money now because he went to town recently and bought himself a big can of tobacco and some cigars.

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Keep your chin up Russ. Pappy will be back soon, to take over the barracks. We know that its hard on you to stay in once in a while.

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Maybe we had better go to Morton's and cheer our big man Lawless. He says he takes them big and small.

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"Butch" seems to have the idea on how to gold brick when it is his turn to wash floors.

BARRACKS 4

The pride and joy of Harrington spent last week at home.

Three of the old men at the upper end of the barracks left last week. We wish them all the luck in the world. They were Levasseur, Cormier and Michaud.

Since the departure of Rene, our barracks leader, Pomerleau has taken the helm with Chet Duprey as his mate.

Capt. Jonesport was on leave last week.

Do you wonder why the long face on Domoga? His two pals Pratt and Jennings are on trail work.

My My, Casey went home for three days last week and left Naples all alone. He probable made up for it this weekend.

Fenton left our humble abode for the open air on the trail. I bet it is cold sleeping out of doors Fent.

Stovie and his girl friend, Gram, didn't get down this week end. And we

were planning to chisel in on Steve.

Ogden had a rest for six days. He picked ribs for one week with out the help of Sam Merchat.

Marquis has left us to reside in the Bull Pen. He has taken over Cormier's place as night guard.

Clarry finally got to Greene. It is a long wait from one week end to another and for Dave it is doubly so.

If any one wants a lesson in love ask "Corn Cob" Gordon he is always willing to help all novices.

Ask Smitty how long a Blue Heron's legs are. He should know by now.

"Punch" Agurkis must be wearing a mask while boxing down at Naples. Last year he would support a rather large nose for three days after he boxed.

Duprey had it all worked out. I have been in the CCC so long they had to give me a rating as I'M the best man they have out in the woods.

We wonder where McMahon goes every night. He has an answer. Ask him.

AMAZING FACTS DID YOU KNOW YOU?

It is not dangerous to swim when you are warm. To go in when you are warm will produce an exhilarating feeling.

There is no lead in lead pencils. Graphite is the material used.

About 300 baseball bats are used in a season by the average big league ball club.

Horses can sleep standing up. They some times go for months with out lying down.

The Empire State Building has the highest going elevator in the world. It travels 986ft.

There are 1456 women paper hangers in the United States.

A man in Vancouver Canada has made a fortune in assembling 1915 Ford trucks. They are used by the Chinese fruiterers, who look upon new models with disfavor. They refuse to take a new model(1915) unless it checks in every detail with the old one.

There is one car stolen in every seven minute in the United States. Only about 50% of them are every found.

A Absence without leave is defined as any unauthorized absence from duty or camp.

There is no specific time limit necessary to constitute an absence with out leave.

After being A.W.O.L. twice one is subject to a discharge for desertion.

Discipline is a responsibility of Company Commanders.

It is not the policy of Headquarters First Corp Area to permit CCC enrollees to be employed more than two Saturday mornings in succession on special duty in connection with maintenance and repair work.

The following holidays recognized are:
Washington's Birthday

Independence Day	Christmas Day
Thanksgiving Day	New Year's Day
Memorial Day	
Labor Day	

Except on specific Presidential Authorization.

Hospital



Peaceful Palmer has finally left the Dispensary. He says they have excellent service in there

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Muldune's poison ivy slowly but surely got better so he has left the dispensary.

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Colecchia has been in with a bad boil on the back of his neck. He says that he hates a pain in the neck.

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Gilbert "Buckwheat" Bouchard has been in the Hospital for a few days with mild Pharyngitis.

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Pappy Howard had a few days rest last week. It is probable that night life is getting him again.

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Roch Levasseur has an infected toe. Consequently, he is in the Dispensary for a few days.

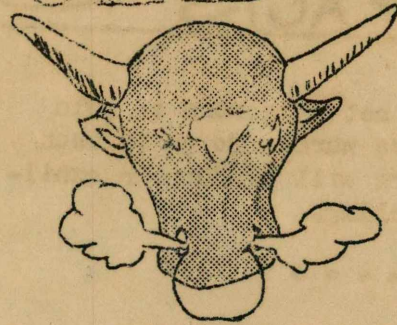
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Hasson is spending a few days in the Dispensary. Ask him what the ailment is.

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The carpets in the hospital are being taken up. We are in hopes to paint the floor. This will improve the general appearance greatly.

BULL PEN



Cobby stayed in the other night. We wonder if he was ashamed, or just repenting.

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We take this opportunity to express our sympathy for E. Polletier.

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Marquis, Polletier and Tighe have become members of the Bull Pen replacing the great Cyr, Cornier and Bull.

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Moore's and Amoro had a slight squabble the other day. Upon putting two and two together there was no love lost.

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The Clan Shell seems to be the haunt of the Bull Pen. Is it possible they are part fish? Some times we think so.

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Amoro says there's to be another Polish Wedding soon. They say experience is the best teacher and education hurts no man.

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Sports

narrated By -
The Wolf

Hi Folks this is the Wolf back with you with the latest news in the world of Sports.

The camp team went down to practice last Thursday night and the Central Maine Power team was present. A game was arranged on the spot. R. Chamberlain was the twirler and Wolf behind the bat. The Batting Order was as follows:

G. Cunningham	C.F.
S. Santilli	3.B.
R. Chamberlain	P.
H. Fafard	C.
L. Gagne	S.S.
O. Morin	2.B.
T. Smith	L.F.
R. Mack	I.B.
D. Hasson	R.F.

R. Hodsdon went in for Smith in the fourth inning. The first three men went on in the order for the M.C. Team. Two of them by the strike out route. In the Camp's first inning H. Cunningham opened it with a walk. Tillio was thrown out at first. Cunningham taking second. Chamberlain walked and Fafard doubled to left, scoring Cunningham and sending Chamberlain to third. L. Gagne promptly singled to center scoring two more runs. Chamberlain kept up his good pitching and for the next two innings struck out four men and walked one. Tillio went in to pitch and he allowed three hits and three runs. In between all that the boys scored three more runs and the final score in favor of the camp 6 to 3.

The boys are going down to Naples to play the Naples team. It's Casco day and the boys are scheduled to play at three o'clock. Chamberlain has been nominated to start pitching. Fafard will be behind the bat, and the batting order will be about the same.

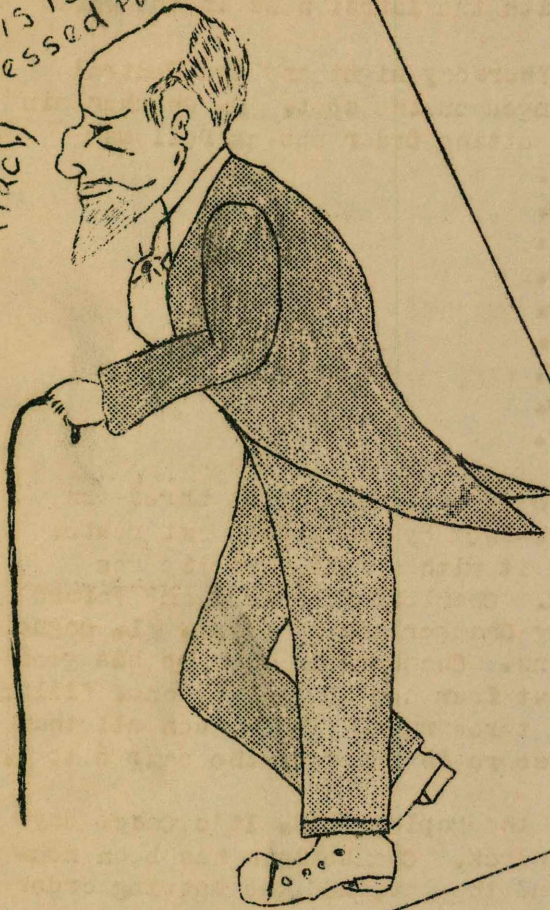
The Red Sox caused quite a disturbance in this camp, last Wednesday and Thursday. The Red Sox were playing the Yankoes. Every five minutes ther would come an awful yell. T'was only the Wolf howling. In between Cuoball Cunningham would let out a squeal. T'was a sad day for the Wolf and Cuoball, for the Red Sox lost two games and the boys had broken hearts. Better luck next time

Well I guess this is all for the present so until the next edition so long and thank you please.

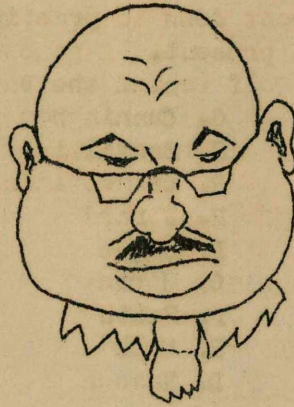
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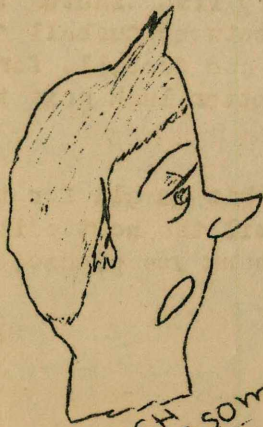
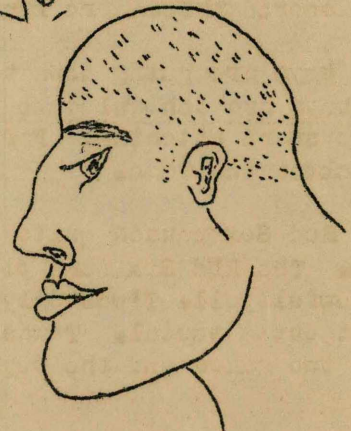
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